



Milwaukee County

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Milwaukee County Launches Prescription Drug Discount Card Available For All Residents

Discount Cards Offering Average Savings Of 20 Percent Off Retail Price

Milwaukee – County Executive Scott Walker, County Board Chairman Lee Holloway, Supervisors Elizabeth Coggs-Jones and Richard Nyklewicz, Jr. today launched a discount card program to help consumers cope with the high price of prescription drugs. The County is making free prescription drug discount cards available under a program sponsored by the National Association of Counties (NACo) that offers average savings of 20 percent off the retail price of commonly prescribed drugs. A resolution authorizing the Department of Health & Human Services (DHHS) to participate in the NACo program was authored by Supervisor Nyklewicz and County Board Chairman Lee Holloway, adopted by the County Board of Supervisors and signed by County Executive Scott Walker.

“Using the NACo prescription discount card is easy,” said Walker. “Simply present it at a participating pharmacy. There is no enrollment form, no membership fee and no restrictions or limits on frequency of use. Cardholders and their family members may use the card any time their prescriptions are not covered by insurance.”

The cards may be used by all county residents, regardless of age, income, or existing health coverage, and are accepted at most of the county’s pharmacies. A national network of more than 57,000 participating retail pharmacies also will honor the NACo prescription discount card.

“The NACo prescription discount card offers significant savings for the uninsured and underinsured residents of our county,” said Nyklewicz. “Even those fortunate to have prescription coverage can use the card to save money on drugs that are not covered by their health plan. Residents do not have to be Medicare beneficiaries to be eligible for this program.”

County residents can call toll free 1-877-321-2652 or visit <http://naco.advancerx.com> for assistance with the program. Cards will be available to county residents at the following distribution channels.

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Distribution outlets

General Assistance Medical Program
Department of Health & Human Services
Department of Health & Human Services
Department on Aging-Resource Center
Delinquency and Court Services Division/
Children's Court Center
Behavioral Health Division-SAIL
BHD Psychiatric Crisis
Southside Health Clinic
MLK Heritage Clinic
16th Street Health Center
Clinica Latina
Lubsey Clinic
Milwaukee County Parks Administration
Runway Dog Park

9501 Watertown Plank Road
1220 W. Vliet Street
1673 S. 9th Street
310 W. Wisconsin Avenue
10201 Watertown Plank Road

9455 Watertown Plank Road
9455 Watertown Plank Road
1639 S 23rd Street
2555 N MLK Drive
1032 S 16th Street
1238 S 16th Street
5300 W. Villard Avenue
9480 Watertown Plank Road
1214 E. Rawson

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